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Beddome et al.)
For: HEAT EXCHANGER WITH)
BIASED AND EXPANDABLE CORE) Group Art Unit : 3743
SUPPORT STRUCTURE)
Serial No.: 10/037564) Examiner: To be assigned
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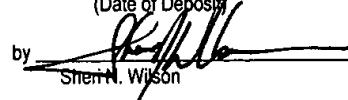
In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.98, Applicants hereby notify the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the documents listed below and identified on the attached form PTO 1449 for review by the Examiner during the examination of the above referenced application. Copies of the documents are provided for the Examiner's use.

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS		
DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	PATENT NAME
4,697,633	10/06/1987	Thermally Balanced Restraint System For A Heat Exchanger
3,910,542	10/07/1975	Heat Exchanger Mounting Device
5,333,681	08/02/1994	Heat Exchanger Of The Plate Type

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS		
WO 96/19708	06/27/1996	A Heat Exchanger
EP 0 043 113 A2	06/26/1981	Ceramic Heat Recuperative Apparatus

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The undersigned hereby certifies:

That each item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement filed concurrently herewith was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of said Information Disclosure Statement.

In compliance with the concise explanation requirements under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3) for foreign language documents, Applicant encloses herewith a copy of the corresponding foreign Search Report citing such documents, together with an English-language version (if not already included) of that portion of the Search Report indicating the degree of relevance found by the foreign office.

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Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be considered by the Examiner and be made of record in the present application and that an initialed copy of the Form PTO-1449 be returned in accordance with MPEP §609.

Respectfully submitted,



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